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SUBJ: EXIMBANK FINANCING FOR KORI II

1. TODAY EXIMBANK SENT THE FOLLOWING CABLE TO THE KOREAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON:

QUOTE: EXIMBANK HAS AUTHORIZED A LOAN/GUARANTEE TO KOREA ELECTRIC COMPANY COVERING 85 PERCENT OF THE U.S. COSTS FOR KORI II NUCLEAR STEAM SUPPLY SYSTEM AT A U.S. COST OF 257.2 MILLION AND A FUEL CORE AT U.S. COST OF \$35.2 MILLION. TERMS CALL FOR A CASH PAYMENT OF \$29.24 MILLION OR 10 PERCENT, EXIMBANK DIRECT CREDIT OF \$131.58 MILLION OR 45 PERCENT, PRIVATE FINANCING OF \$116.96 MILLION OR 40 PERCENT GUARANTEED BY EXIMBANK, AND PRIVATE FINANCING OF \$14.62 MILLION OR 5 PERCENT NOT GUARANTEED. REPAYMENT OF THE NSSS WOULD BE 30 EQUAL SEMIANNUAL INSTALLMENTS, THE NON-GUARANTEED PORTION BEING REPAID FIRST, THE GUARANTEED NEXT AND THE EXIMBANK LAST. ON THE FUEL FINANCING REPAYMENT WOULD BE IN 10 INSTALLMENTS, AGAIN WITH THE NON-GUARANTEED FINANCING REPAID UNCLASSIFIED

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LOAN AND GUARANTEE WOULD BE FULLY GUARANTEED BY THE KOREA EXCHANGE BANK. THE INTEREST ON THE EXIMBANK CREDIT WILL BE AT THE RATE OF 8 1/2 VPERCENT PER ANNUM AND THERE WILL BE A COMMITMENT FEE OF 1/2 OF 1 PERCENT PER ANNUM. THE EXIMBANK GUARANTEE FEE WILL BE 1 PERCENT PER ANNUM. (NEW PARA.) IN AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING EXIMBANK HAS AGREED TO PRESENT TO THE CONGRESS THE SAFEGUARD ARRANGEMENT FOR NON-PROLIFERATION WHEN THIS HAS BEEN WORKED OUT BY THE APPROPRIATE AGENCIES OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT. EXIMBANK WILL NOT SIGN THE CREDIT AGREEMENT FOR AT LEAST 25 DAYS OF CONTINUOUS SESSION OF CONGRESS AFTER SUCH PRESENTATION. WOULD YOU PLEASE CABLE YOUR GOVERNMENT FOR CONCURRENCE. UNQUOTE INGERSOLL

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